

TOWN OF HERNDON

Enriching the Quality of Life and Promoting a Sense of Community



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MAY IS NEIGHBORHOOD CELEBRATION MONTH THROUGHOUT THE TOWN OF HERNDON

Herndon, VA (May 1, 2006) – From Four Seasons to Jefferson Mews, from Waterford Park to Dumbarton Square, neighborhoods throughout the Town of Herndon will be hosting block parties, neighborhood clean-ups, yard sales and tree planting ceremonies, all as part of a month-long celebration of communities in Herndon.

Neighborhood Celebration Month, occurring each year in May, is designed to encourage community spirit and neighborhood beautification. “Within the larger Herndon community, there are many small, tight-knit neighborhoods in which people know and look out for each other,” said Mayor Michael L. O’Reilly. “Neighborhood Celebration Month honors our neighborhood communities and strengthens the connections we share with one another.”

Neighborhood Celebration Month is promoted as part of the Town of Herndon’s Cultivating Community Initiative, a program that enhances the quality of life through community enhancement and neighborhood beautification. All programs are developed with the input of resident volunteers.

The following neighborhood celebrations are scheduled throughout the month of May:

May 6 – Four Seasons Community Safety Day, The Townes at Herndon Center Yard Sale; **May 7** - Bowers Lane Block Party; **May 13** – Ballou Neighborhood Barbeque, Crestview

Community Clean-Up, Jefferson Mews Tree Planting/Clean-Up Day; **May 20** – Dumbarton Square Community Work Day; **May 21** – Waterford Park 2nd annual “Taste of Waterford Park”; **May 27** – Halcyon Block Party.

For more information on Neighborhood Celebration Month or on these events, please contact Anne Curtis at 703/435-6800 X2010.

The Town of Herndon was incorporated by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia on January 14, 1879. Located in western Fairfax County, Herndon is the 3rd largest town in the Commonwealth and is home to more than 22,000 citizens. Businesses located within the Town of Herndon, which range from high tech enterprises to entrepreneurially-owned establishments, employ approximately 23,500 people.

For more information, visit the Town’s website at www.herndon-va.gov.

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